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From: Berol, David [/O=EXCHANGELABS/OU=EXCHANGE ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP (FYDIBOHF23SPDLT)/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=A227F36CA9EE4EEB98A95CB22058DE43-DBEROL]
Sent: 2/18/2016 9:08:12 PM
To: Szelag, Matthew [/o=ExchangeLabs/ou=Exchange Administrative Group (FYDIBOHF23SPDLT)/cn=Recipients/cn=f1e48230d96943f8acb72810e32ce8d6-Szelag, Matthew]; Fidis, Alexander [/o=ExchangeLabs/ou=Exchange Administrative Group (FYDIBOHF23SPDLT)/cn=Recipients/cn=e76bf6d0e88745d69528ddb60346461-Fidis, Alexander]
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Subject: RE: follow up letter to NWEA petition re WA WQS
Attachments: Petition to Update Washington WQS FINAL (3).pdf; Petition follow up letter Aug 31 2015.pdf; Second follow up letter.pdf

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- In their August 31, 2015 follow-up letter, they have three main arguments:
 - The Oregon and Idaho BiOps called jeopardy on arsenic, copper, selenium, cyanide, and mercury and show that Washington needs to revise their criteria for these pollutants:

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- The Orca Recovery Plans show that Washington needs tougher WQS:

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- The Services' criticism of the Industrial Stormwater General Permit shows that Washington needs tougher WQS, for copper in particular.

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From: Szelag, Matthew
Sent: Friday, February 12, 2016 12:26 PM
To: Fidis, Alexander <Fidis.Alexander@epa.gov>; Berol, David <Berol.David@epa.gov>
Subject: Fw: follow up letter to NWEA petition re WA WQS

Hi Alex and David,
Attached is a second follow up letter we received from NWEA yesterday regarding WA's aquatic life toxics criteria. I think it is something we should be aware of if we begin discussions with NWEA.

Thanks,
Matt

From: Opalski, Dan
Sent: Thursday, February 11, 2016 12:29 PM
To: Chung, Angela; Szelag, Matthew
Subject: Fwd: follow up letter to NWEA petition re WA WQS

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Begin forwarded message:

From: "McLerran, Dennis" <mclerran.dennis@epa.gov>
Date: February 11, 2016 at 12:07:35 PM PST
To: "Opalski, Dan" <Opalski.Dan@epa.gov>, "Psyk, Christine" <Psyk.Christine@epa.gov>
Subject: Fwd: follow up letter to NWEA petition re WA WQS

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Begin forwarded message:

From: "Nina Bell" <nbell@advocates-nwea.org>
To: "McLerran, Dennis" <mclerran.dennis@epa.gov>, "Opalski, Dan" <Opalski.Dan@epa.gov>
Subject: follow up letter to NWEA petition re WA WQS

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